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FM AMEMBASSY MANILA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1656

INFO ERDA GERMANTOWN MD

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: TECH, RP

SUBJECT: PHILIPPINE PURCHASE OF LEASED SPECIAL NUCLEAR MATERIALS

1. EMBASSY HAS BEEN REQUESTED BY PHILIPPINE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION OF ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY ABOUT PURCHASE OF ENRICHED MATERIALS WHICH PAEC HAS BEEN LEASING SINCE 1961.

2. PAEC HAS ASKED WHETHER COST OF MATERIALS IS CURRENT COST OR THAT WHICH PREVAILED AT TIME OF LEASE AGREEMENT. PAEC WOULD ALSO BE INTERESTED IN WHETHER OR NOT CREDIT IS GIVEN FOR LEASE CHANGES. TO NOW PAEC HAS PAID USG \$42,179.80.

3. PAEC ALSO POINTS OUT THAT IF AGENCY WERE TO RETURN MATERIALS TO ERDA, ESTIMATED COST OF SHIPMENT INCLUDING PROPER VESSELS WOULD EXCEED PURCHASE PRICE AS GIVEN BY ERDA IN JAN 29 INVOICE.

4. AS ERDA AWARE, PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT HAS DECIDED TO EMBARK UPON PROGRAM OF CONSTRUCTION OF NUCLEAR PPWR PLANTS. PRESENT PROGRAM CALLS FOR FIRST TWO TO BE OPERATIONAL BY 1984 AND FOR THESE GOP HAS SIGNED

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CONTRACT WITH USG FOR PURCHASE OF ENRICHED FUEL. GOP

IS PLANNING CONSTRUCTION OF 11 NUCLEAR PLANTS BY  
2000 A.D.

5. DR. LIBRERO IBE, COMMISSIONER OF PAEC WILL BE  
WRITING TO ERDA TO ASK SAME QUESTIONS BY THE EMBASSY WISHES  
TO ALERT ERDA RE MATTER.  
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